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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING A REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

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Sir:

Responsive to the Final Office Action dated August 18, 2009, and the subsequent Advisory Action dated November 6, 2009, which period has been extended one month to expire on December 18, 2009, by the attached Petition for a One Month Extension of Time, Applicant hereby submits a Request for Continued Examination, along with the following Preliminary Amendment. Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, please consider the amendments and accompanying Remarks/Arguments.

As certified in the Certificate of Mailing, included on the signature page of this document, pursuant to 37 CFR §1.8, the present amendment is being mailed on December 17, 2009.

Listing and Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.